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General Assembly
Sixty-seventh session

10:00 — 40th plenary meeting — General Assembly Hall

[webcast]

1. Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations: *joint debate* [items 121 (a) to (w)]
   (a) Report of the Secretary-General (A/67/280)
   (b) Draft resolutions (A/67/L.5, A/67/L.6, A/67/L.7, A/67/L.8, A/67/L.9/Rev.1, A/67/L.10, A/67/L.11, A/67/L.12, A/67/L.13, A/67/L.14 and A/67/L.15)
2. Appointments to fill vacancies in subsidiary organs and other appointments [item 111]
   (a) Appointment of members of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions: report of the Fifth Committee (A/67/559)

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Security Council

10:00 — 6865th meeting — Security Council Chamber GA-TSC-01

[webcast]

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. Maintenance of international peace and security[1]

   Piracy

   Letter dated 6 November 2012 from the Permanent Representative of India to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General (S/2012/814)

[1] Delegations are kindly requested to limit their statements to no more than *four minutes*.

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(b) Appointment of members of the Committee on Contributions: report of the Fifth Committee (A/67/560)

(c) Confirmation of the appointment of members of the Investments Committee: report of the Fifth Committee (A/67/561)

(d) Appointment of members of the International Civil Service Commission: report of the Fifth Committee (A/67/562)

(e) Appointment of members and alternate members of the United Nations Staff Pension Committee: report of the Fifth Committee (A/67/563)

General Assembly

Sixty-seventh session

Informal consultations on agenda item 75 (a) (Oceans and the law of the sea)

10:00 to 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 6 (NLB)
15:00 to 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 6 (NLB)

Main Committees

Third Committee

15:00 to 18:00 — 40th meeting [webcast] — Conference Room 4 (NLB)

Promotion and protection of human rights [item 69]

(a) Implementation of human rights instruments

Action on draft resolution A/C.3/67/L.25 and programme budget implications contained in document A/C.3/67/L.30

(b) Human rights questions, including alternative approaches for improving the effective enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms

Action on draft resolution A/C.3/67/L.44/Rev.1 (and amendment thereto contained in documents A/C.3/67/L.62, A/C.3/67/L.63, A/C.3/67/L.64, A/C.3/67/L.65 and A/C.3/67/L.66)

[*List of participants:*
Delegations are reminded that the names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be submitted to the Secretary of the Committee, Mr. Otto Gustafik (c/o Mr. Paolo Dua (e-mail 3rdcommittee@un.org; room NL-1033 or S-1285)). Please note that only scanned copies of notes verbales or form A/INF/67/2 will be accepted by e-mail.

Reservation of rooms for informal consultations:
For inquiries regarding user names and passwords for Third Committee QuickPlace, please contact Mr. Paolo Dua (e-mail 3rdcommittee@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-4882). Requests for room reservations for informal consultations on draft proposals should be sent to Ms. Patricia Anholt Habr (e-mail habrp@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5724). More information on the room reservations has been posted on the Third Committee Quickplace. Background information on the work of the Third Committee, including the provisional programme of work for the sixty-seventh session and the complete list of the presentations of the special procedure mandate-holders and United Nations high-level officials to the Third Committee, is available at www.un.org/en/ga/third/index.shtml.]

Fifth Committee

10:00 to 13:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 5 (NLB)
	Informal consultations on agenda item 130 (Programme budget for the biennium 2012-2013: Umoja/Enterprise resource planning (A/67/360, A/67/164 and A/67/565); and International Public Sector Accounting Standards (A/67/344, A/67/345, A/67/168 and A/67/564))	
15:00 to 18:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 5 (NLB)
	Informal consultations on:	
	Agenda item 128 (Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors (A/67/5 (Vol. I), A/67/5 (Vol. I)/Corr.1, A/67/5 (Vol. III), A/67/5 (Vol. IV), A/67/5/Add.1, A/67/5/Add.2, A/67/5/Add.3, A/67/5/Add.4, A/67/5/Add.5, A/67/5/Add.6, A/67/5/Add.6/Corr.1, A/67/5/Add.7, A/67/5/Add.8, A/67/5/Add.8/Corr.1, A/67/5/Add.9, A/67/5/Add.9/Corr.1, A/67/5/Add.10, A/67/5/Add.11, A/67/5/Add.12, A/67/5/Add.13, A/67/173, A/67/319, A/67/319/Add.1 and A/67/381)); and	
	Agenda item 130 (Programme budget for the biennium 2012-2013: Capital master plan (A/67/350, A/67/350/Add.1, A/67/5 (Vol. V), A/67/319 (chapter III), A/67/548 and A/67/330))	

Security Council

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1591 (2005) concerning the Sudan

15:00 to 18:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 7 (NLB)

General Assembly

Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People

10:30 to 13:00	346th meeting [webcast]	Conference Room 2 (NLB)

Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

10:00 to 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10 (NLB)
15:00 to 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10 (NLB)

1. United Nations Environment Programme
2. Executive meeting

Economic and Social Council

United Nations Forum on Forests
Briefing

The Co-Chairs of the first meeting of the Open-ended Intergovernmental Ad Hoc Expert Group on Forest Financing will hold an open-ended informal briefing on the preparations for the second meeting of the Ad Hoc Expert Group, on *Monday, 19 November 2012*, from 15:00 to 18:00, in Conference Room 2 (NLB). All members of permanent missions are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Mr. Hossein Moeini-Meybodi (e-mail moeini-meybodi@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5949).

Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme, of the United Nations Population Fund and of the United Nations Office for Project Services
Informal consultation

The Executive Board will hold an informal consultation on: (a) Evaluation of UNDP contribution to poverty reduction and management process; and (b) Evaluation of UNDP support to conflict-affected countries in the context of United Nations peace operations and management response. The consultation will take place on *Monday, 19 November 2012*, from 11:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room 7 (NLB). Interested delegations are invited to attend.

Informal meetings on draft proposals convened by delegations

The agenda of the sixty-seventh session of the General Assembly is contained in documents A/67/251 and A/67/252. The meetings under this header are closed.

Monday, 19 November 2012

General Assembly

Informal consultation on the draft resolution entitled "Education for democracy" (under agenda item 14) (convened by the delegation of Mongolia)

From 10:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room 4 (NLB).

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Safety and security of humanitarian personnel and protection of the United Nations personnel" (under agenda item 70) (convened by the Delegation of the European Union)

From 10:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room E (NLB).

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "The situation in Afghanistan" (under agenda item 38) (convened by the delegation of Germany)

From 10:00 to 13:00, at the Permanent Mission of Germany (871 United Nations Plaza, 22nd Floor).

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Global health and foreign policy" (under agenda item 123) (convened by the delegation of France)

From *12:00 to 14:30*, in *Conference Room A (NLB)*.

Second Committee

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/67/L.11, entitled "Second United Nations Decade for the Eradication of Poverty (2008-2017)" (under agenda item 24 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Chile)

From 09:00 to 10:30, in Conference Room B (NLB).

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/67/L.21, entitled "Report of the Governing Council of the United Nations Environment Programme on its twelfth special session and on the implementation of the environment pillar in the context of General Assembly resolution 66/288" (under agenda item 20 (g)) (convened by the delegation of Mexico)

From 09:00 to 10:30, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB).

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution en A/C.2/67/L.27, entitled "Convention on Biological Diversity and its contribution to sustainable development" (under agenda Item 20 (f)) (convened by the delegation of Indonesia)

From 10:00 to 12:00, at the Permanent Mission of Peru (840 Second Avenue, 16th Floor).

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/67/L.28, entitled "External debt sustainability and development" (agenda item 18 (c)) (convened by the delegation of Suriname)

From 10:00 to 13:00, at the UNCTAD New York Office (DC-2 Building, 11th Floor).

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/67/L.16, entitled "International Strategy for Disaster Risk Reduction) (under agenda item 20 (c)) (convened by the delegation of Mexico)

From 10:30 to 12:00, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB).

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/67/L.4, entitled "International Day of Forests and the Tree" (under agenda item 20) (convened by the delegation of Thailand)

From 12:00 to 13:30, in Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB).

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/67/L.35, entitled "Building connectivity through the Trans-Eurasian Information Super Highway" (under agenda item 17) (convened by the delegation of Azerbaijan)

From 12:00 to 13:30, in Conference Room B (NLB).

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/67/L.19, entitled "Follow-up to and implementation of the Mauritius Strategy for the Further Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States" (under agenda item 20 (b)) (convened by the delegation of Barbados)

From 13:30 to 14:30, at the Permanent Mission of Barbados (820 Second Avenue, 9th Floor).

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/67/L.32, entitled "Industrial development cooperation" (under agenda item 24 (b)) (convened by the delegation of the Bahamas)

From 13:30 to 15:00, in Conference Room B (NLB).

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/67/L.6, entitled "International cooperation to reduce the impact of the El Niño phenomenon" (under agenda item 20 (c)) (convened by the delegation of Thailand)

From 13:30 to 14:30, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB).

Informal informal consultations on the draft resolution A/C.2/67/L.17, entitled "Implementation of the United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification in Those Countries Experiencing Serious Drought and/or Desertification, Particularly In Africa" (under agenda item 20 (e)) (convened by the delegation of Germany)

From 14:00 to 15:00, in Conference Room C (NLB).

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/67/L.7, entitled "International Year of Small Island Developing States" (under agenda item 20 (b)) (convened by the delegation of Barbados)

From 14:30 to 15:30, at the Permanent Mission of Barbados (820 Second Avenue, 9th Floor).

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/67/L.31, entitled "Agriculture development and food security" (under agenda item 26) (convened by the delegation of the Dominican Republic)

From 15:00 to 16:30, in Conference Room B (NLB).

Informal consultation on draft resolution A/C.2/67/L.37, entitled "Harmony with Nature" (under agenda item 20 (h)) (convened by the delegation of the Plurinational State of Bolivia)

From 15:00 to 18:00, at the Permanent Mission of the Plurinational State of Bolivia (801 Second Avenue, 4th Floor, Suite 402).

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/67/L.18, entitled "Implementation of Agenda 21, the Programme for the Further Implementation of Agenda 21 and the outcomes of the World Summit on Sustainable Development (under agenda item 20 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Brazil)

From 15:00 to 18:00, in Conference Rooms S-2726FC and S-2727FC (Secretariat Building).

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/67/L.24, entitled "International financial system and development" (under agenda item 18 (b)) (convened by the delegation of Italy)

From 15:00 to 16:30, at the Permanent Mission of Italy (885 Second Avenue, 49th Floor).

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/67/L.10, entitled "Smooth transition for countries graduating from the list of least developed countries" (under agenda item 23 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Sri Lanka)

From 15:00 to 18:00, at the Permanent Mission of Bhutan (343 East 43rd Street).

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/67/L.22, entitled "Implementation of the outcome of the United Nations Conference on Human Settlements (Habitat II) and strengthening of the United Nations Human Settlements Programme (UN-Habitat)" (under agenda item 21) (convened by the delegation of Italy)

From 16:30 to 18:00, in Conference Room C (NLB).

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/67/L.26, entitled "Promotion of new and renewable sources of energy" (under agenda item 20 (i)) (convened by the delegation of the Czech Republic)

From 18:00 to 19:30, in Conference C (NLB).

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/67/L.20, entitled "Protection of global climate for present and future generations of humankind" (under agenda item 20 (d)) (convened by the delegation of Pakistan)

From 18:00 to 19:30, in Conference Room B (NLB).

Third Committee

Informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.3/67/L.19, entitled "Intensification of efforts to eliminate all forms of violence against women" (under agenda item 28 (a)) (convened by the delegations of France and the Netherlands)

From 09:00 to 10:30, in Conference Room C (NLB).

Informal consultations on the draft resolution A/C.3/67/L.61, entitled "Assistance to refugees, returnees and displaced persons in Africa" (under agenda item 62) (convened by the delegate of Liberia, on behalf of the African Group)

From 10:00 to 13:00, at African Union Office (305 East, 47th Street, 5th Floor).

Informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.3/67/L.20, entitled "Trafficking in women and girls" (under agenda item 28 (a)) (convened by the delegation of the Philippines)

From 10:30 to 12:30, in Conference Room C (NLB).

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "The proposed strategic framework for the period 2014-2015 of the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights" (under agenda item 131) (convened by the delegations of Egypt and Mexico)

From 10:30 to 12:00, in Conference Room B (NLB).

Informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.3/67/L.14, entitled "International cooperation against the world drug problem" (under agenda item 104) (convened by the delegation of Mexico)

From 12:00 to 13:00, at the Permanent Mission of Mexico (DC-2 Building, 28th Floor).

Informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.3/67/L.35, entitled "Committee on the Rights of the Child" (under agenda item 69 (b)) (convened by the delegations of Costa Rica and Slovenia)

From 12:30 to 14:00, in Conference Room C (NLB).

Informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.3/67/L.10, entitled "Realizing the Millennium Development Goals and other internationally agreed development goals for persons with disabilities towards 2015 and beyond" (under agenda item 27 (b)) (convened by the delegations of the Philippines and the United Republic of Tanzania)

From 15:00 to 16:30, in Conference Room C (NLB).

Informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.3/67/L.47, entitled "Combating intolerance, negative stereotyping and stigmatization of, and discrimination, incitement to violence and violence against, persons based on religion or belief" (under agenda item 69 (b)) (convened by the delegation of the United Arab Emirates, on behalf of the Organization of Islamic Cooperation)

From 15:30 to 18:00, in Conference Room A (NLB).

Informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.3/67/L.56, entitled "Global efforts for the total elimination of racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance and the comprehensive implementation of and follow-up to the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action" (under agenda item 69 (b)) (convened by the delegation of South Africa, on behalf of the Group of 77 and China)

From 16:30 to 18:00 in Conference Room B (NLB).

Other meetings

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Monday, 19 November 2012

Group of 77 (on the quadrennial comprehensive policy review)

09:00 to 10:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room D (NLB)

Group of 77 (on oceans and law of the sea matters)

09:15 to 10:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 7 (NLB)

Group of 77 (on Second Committee matters)

10:00 to 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room D (NLB)
15:00 to 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room D (NLB)

Non-Aligned Movement: Working Group on Peacekeeping Operations (at the expert level)

13:15 to 14:30	Closed meeting	Conference Room 6 (NLB)

OIC Group (Third Committee experts)

13:15 to 14:30	Closed meeting	Conference Room 7 (NLB)

Other activities

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Monday, 19 November 2012

Panel discussion on "Sustainable transport: An essential building block for sustainable development" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of the Netherlands and Thailand, in collaboration with the Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA))

From 13:15 to 14:45, at the Permanent Mission of the Netherlands (666 Third Avenue, 19th Floor).

[All permanent missions and permanent observer missions are invited to attend. For registration, please send an e-mail to nyv-rsvp@minbuza.nl. For further information, please contact Ms. Vera Kuipers, Permanent Mission of the Netherlands (e-mail vera.kuipers@minbuza.nl; tel. 1 (212) 519-9711).]

Special event on "Autism and disabilities: Addressing the socioeconomic needs of individuals, families and societies affected by autism spectrum disorders (ASD) and other developmental disorders (DD) (agenda item 127 of the sixty-seventh session of the General Assembly)" (organized by the Permanent Mission of Bangladesh)

From 15:00 to 17:00, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB). [webcast]

[The President of the General Assembly, His Excellency Vuk Jeremić, will be the chief guest. Permanent missions and permanent observer missions, United Nations agencies and accredited non-governmental organizations are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Mr. Tauhidul Islam, Permanent Mission of Bangladesh (e-mail tauhid395@hotmail.com; tel. 1 (347) 348-3215); or Mr. Bashir Uddin, Permanent Mission of Bangladesh (e-mail tipuahmed.2009@gmail.com; tel. 1 (347) 348-5587).]

Closing ceremony of the International Year of Cooperatives on the theme "Promoting cooperatives beyond 2012" (organized by the Division for Social Policy and Development, Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA), in collaboration with the International Labour Organization, the Permanent Mission of Mongolia and Rabobank)

From 10:00 to 13:00 and from 15:00 to 18:00, in Conference Room 1 (NLB). [webcast]

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Mr. Amine Lambarat, DESA (e-mail lamrabat@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 347-9456); or visit the following Web site: http://social.un.org/coopsyear.]

Press conferences

The schedule is tentative; up-to-date information can be obtained at www.un.org/sg/spokesperson/confschedule.asp.

Monday, 19 November 2012

Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium [webcast]

12:00 Press briefing by the Spokesperson

Forthcoming official meetings

General Assembly

Sixty-seventh session

Announcements

The agenda of the sixty-seventh regular session of the General Assembly is contained in document A/67/251 (see document A/67/252 for the allocation of items). Annotations can be found in document A/67/100 and A/67/100/Add.1. The programme of work and schedule of plenary meetings of the General Assembly during the main part of its sixty-seventh session are contained in document A/INF/67/4/Rev.1. Inscription on the list of speakers, on a first-come, first-served basis, for the items listed in this document is now open. For inscription, please call 1 (212) 963-5063 (rooms S-3055 and S-3082). For the submission of a draft resolution for the plenary, please call 1 (212) 963-3818 (room S-3053). Please *click here* for the guidelines for submission of draft resolutions in the General Assembly.

Since the issuance of the programme of work and schedule of plenary meetings of the General Assembly (A/INF/67/4/Rev.1), the following change has been made:

(a) Consideration of agenda item 32 (The role of diamonds in fuelling conflict), originally scheduled for Thursday, 6 December, will now be held on Monday, 17 December 2012; and

(b) Consideration of agenda item 111 (f) (Appointment of members of the Committee on Conferences), originally scheduled for Monday, 12 November 2012, *has been postponed* to a later date to be announced.

The dates for the consideration of reports of the Main Committees will be announced in the *Journal*, as soon as they are decided.

Main Committees

Fifth Committee

The Fifth Committee will hold informal consultations (closed) on Tuesday, 20 November 2012, at 10:00 and 15:00, in Conference Room 5 (NLB).

Security Council

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism
Special meeting

The Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism, will hold a special meeting with Member States and relevant international and regional organizations on "Preventing and suppressing terrorist financing", on Tuesday, 20 November 2012, from 10:00 to 13:00 and from 15:00 to 18:00, in Conference Room 2 (NLB). All are invited to attend. The provisional agenda can be consulted at www.un.org/en/sc/ctc. Questions concerning administrative issues may be addressed to Ms. Rebecca Brattskar, Associate Political Affairs Officer, Counter-Terrorism Committee Executive Directorate (CTED) (e-mail brattskar@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 457-1261).

General Assembly

Ad Hoc Committee of the General Assembly for the Announcement of Voluntary Contributions to the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East

The Ad Hoc Committee of the General Assembly for the Announcement of Voluntary Contributions to the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East will meet on Tuesday, 4 December 2012, at 10:00, in Conference Room 4 (NLB). Delegations wishing to be inscribed on the list of speakers are kindly requested to notify, *in writing*, Mr. Martin Vrastiak (e-mail vrastiak@un.org).

United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women (UN-Women)
Executive Board

Informal briefing

There will be an informal briefing of the Executive Board of UN-Women on the regional architecture on Tuesday, 20 November 2012, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 3 (NLB).

Second regular session

The second regular session of 2012 of the Executive Board of UN-Women will be held from Wednesday, 28, to Friday, 30 November 2012. The provisional agenda, list of documents and work plan for the session are contained in document UNW/2012/L.4.

Member States, as well as observers and other organizations attending the session, are requested to e-mail their credentials (names and titles of each delegation member, on official letterhead), and requests to be inscribed on the list of speakers, to Ms. Rocío Torres (e-mail rocio.torres@unwomen.org), as early as possible, *but no later than Monday, 26 November 2012*. To consult the available documentation for the session, please *click here*.

As previously announced, the second regular session of 2012 of the Executive Board of UN-Women (28–30 November 2012) will also be PaperSmart. Delegations are requested to e-mail electronic versions of statements to the UN-Women PaperSmart Secretariat at papersmart.eb@unwomen.org for uploading to the portal starting Tuesday, 20 November 2012, and no later than two hours in advance of the designated speaking slot. Delegations are also requested to provide 15 copies of official statements for interpretation and other services. Please note that hard copies of statements will not be distributed by conference services during the session.

A printing-on-demand service will be made available to members of the Executive Board and observer delegations upon request, with a dedicated desk set up for this in the conference room. Delegations are encouraged to carry their laptops, tablets and/or other mobile devices to be able to access the official documents and statements from the UN-Women PaperSmart portal.

General Assembly
Security Council

Peacebuilding Commission
Sixth session

Working Group on Lessons Learned

A meeting of the Working Group on Lessons Learned of the Peacebuilding Commission will be held on Wednesday, 21 November 2012, at 10:00, in Conference Room 2 (NLB).

Economic and Social Council

United Nations Children's Fund

Executive Board
Informal briefing

The UNICEF Executive Board will hold an informal briefing on the report on the end-of-cycle review of the medium-term strategic plan for 2006-2013, which will be considered at the first regular session of 2013, on Monday, 26 November 2012, from 10:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room D (NLB). All member and observer delegations are invited to attend.

Convention on the Rights of the Child

Meeting of States Parties
Fourteenth meeting

The Fourteenth Meeting of States Parties to the Convention on the Rights of the Child will be held on Tuesday, 18 December 2012, at 10:00, in Conference Room 4 (NLB). The purpose of this meeting is to elect nine members of the Committee on the Rights to replace those whose terms of office are due to expire on 28 February 2013. The documents for the meeting are CRC/SP/5* (rules of procedure), CRC/SP/43, CRC/SP/44 (to be issued) and CRC/SP/44/Add.1 (to be issued).

Credentials

Original copies of credentials and names of delegates, duly signed by the head of state or government or foreign minister of the State Party, should be submitted to the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights in New York (attention: Ms. Sheilah Trotta (room S-1308)), *prior to Tuesday, 18 December*.

Quorum

Pursuant to article 43, paragraph 5, of the Convention, the necessary quorum for the meeting is two-thirds of the States Parties. In order to avoid delay or postponement of the meeting, it is imperative for States Parties to be present at the appointed time for the meeting.

For more information and to download documents, please *click here*.

Forthcoming informal meetings on draft proposals convened by delegations

The agenda of the sixty-seventh session of the General Assembly is contained in documents A/67/251 and A/67/252. The meetings under this header are closed.

General Assembly

Informal consultations (fourth reading) on the draft of the annual omnibus resolution on "Strengthening of the coordination of emergency humanitarian assistance of the United Nations" (under agenda item 70 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Sweden)

Tuesday, 20 November 2012, from 10:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room E (NLB); and

Tuesday, 27 November 2012, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 7 (NLB).

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Restitution or return of cultural property to the countries of origin" (under agenda item 10) (convened by the delegation of Greece)

Tuesday, 20 November 2012, from 15:00 to 18:00, in Conference Room E (NLB).

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Safety and security of humanitarian personnel and protection of the United Nations personnel" (under agenda item 70) (convened by the Delegation of the European Union)

Wednesday, 21 November 2012, from 10:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room E (NLB).

Informal informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "People's empowerment and development" (under agenda item 29) (convened by the delegation of Bangladesh)

Wednesday, 21 November 2012, from 15:00 to 18:00, in Conference Room 1 (NLB).

Informal consultation on the draft resolution entitled "Follow-up to the Declaration and Programme of Action on a Culture of Peace" (under agenda item 15) (convened by the delegation of Bangladesh)

Friday, 23 November 2012, from 15:00 to 18:00, in Conference Room A (NLB).

Second Committee

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/67/L.14, entitled "Quadrennial comprehensive policy review" (under agenda item 25 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Switzerland)

Tuesday, 20 November 2012, from 09:00 to 12:00, in Conference Room B (NLB).

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/67/L.28, entitled "External debt sustainability and development" (agenda item 18 (c)) (convened by the delegation of Suriname)

Tuesday, 20 November 2012, from 10:30 to 12.30, at the UNCTAD New York Office (DC-2 Building, 11th Floor).

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/67/L.22, entitled "Implementation of the outcome of the United Nations Conference on Human Settlements (Habitat II) and strengthening of the United Nations Human Settlements Programme (UN-Habitat)" (under agenda item 21) (convened by the delegation of Italy)

Tuesday, 20 November 2012, from 12:00 to 13:30 in Conference Room B (NLB).

Informal informal consultations on the draft resolution A/C.2/67/L.17, entitled "Implementation of the United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification in Those Countries Experiencing Serious Drought and/or Desertification, Particularly In Africa" (under agenda item 20 (e)) (convened by the delegation of Germany)

Tuesday, 20 November 2012, from 13:30 to 15:30, in Conference Room B (NLB).

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/67/L.29, entitled "Follow-up to and implementation of the outcome of the 2002 International Conference on Financing for Development and the 2008 Review Conference" (under agenda item 19) (convened by the delegation of Mexico)

Tuesday, 20 November 2012, from 15:30 to 18:00, at the DC-2 Building (23rd Floor).

Third Committee

Informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.3/67/L.19, entitled "Intensification of efforts to eliminate all forms of violence against women" (under agenda item 28 (a)) (convened by the delegations of France and the Netherlands)

Tuesday, 20 November 2012, from 09:00 to 10:30, in Conference Room C (NLB).

Informal consultations on the draft resolutions proposed by the Non-Aligned Movement under agenda items of the Third Committee (convened by the delegation of Cuba, as the Coordinator of the Working Group on Human Rights of the Non-Aligned Movement)

Tuesday, 20 November 2012, from 10:00 to 11:30, in Conference Room A (NLB).

Informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.3/67/L.18*, entitled "Preventing and combating corrupt practices and transfer of assets of illicit origin and returning such assets, in particular to the counties of origin, in accordance with the United Nations Convention against Corruption" (under agenda item 103) (convened by the delegation of Colombia)

Tuesday, 20 November 2012, from 10:30 to 12:00, in Conference Room C (NLB).

Informal consultations of draft resolution A/C.3/67/L.9, entitled "Comprehensive and integral international Convention to promote and protect the rights and dignity of older persons" (under agenda items 27 (b) and (c)) (convened by the delegation of El Salvador)

Tuesday, 20 November 2012, from 12:00 to 13:30, in Conference Room C (NLB).

Informal consultations on the draft resolution A/C.3/67/L.23, entitled "Rights of the child" (under agenda item 65 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Uruguay, on behalf of the Group of Latin American and Caribbean States and the European Union)

Tuesday, 20 November 2012, from 13:30 to 16:30, in Conference Room C (NLB).

Informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.3/67/L.20, entitled "Trafficking in women and girls" (under agenda item 28 (a)), (convened by the delegation of the Philippines)

Tuesday, 20 November 2012, from 15:30 to 17:00, in Conference Room B (NLB).

Informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.3/67/L.11, entitled "Implementation of the outcome of the World Summit for Social Development and of the twenty-fourth special session of the General Assembly" (under agenda item 27 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Algeria, on behalf of the Group of 77 and China)

Tuesday, 20 November 2012, from 18:00 to 19:30, in Conference Room C (NLB).

Forthcoming other meetings

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Western European and Other States Group (monthly meeting)

Wednesday, 21 November 2012, from 15:00 to 18:00, in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

Non-Aligned Movement (informal discussion on draft resolutions proposed under agenda items of the Third Committee, convened by the delegation of Cuba, as the Coordinator of the Working Group on Human Rights)

Monday, 26 November 2012, from 15:00 to 16:30, in Conference Room A (NLB).

Forthcoming other activities

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Open-ended informal consultations on the nomination of the President-designate of the Final United Nations Conference on the Arms Trade Treaty (18-28 March 2013) (conducted by the High Representative for Disarmament Affairs, pursuant to operative paragraph 4 of the First Committee draft resolution A/C.1/67/L.11) (organized by the Office for Disarmament Affairs)

Tuesday, 20 November 2012, from 15:00 to 16:00, in Conference Room 3 (NLB).

[All delegations are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Sarka Krcalova, Office for Disarmament Affairs (e-mail krcalova@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-0403).]

Briefing by the Ukrainian Parliament Commissioner for Human Rights (Ombudsman) (organized by the Permanent Mission of Ukraine)

Wednesday, 21 November 2012, from 10:00 to 11:00, in Conference Room A (NLB).

[All Permanent missions and permanent observer missions are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Yana Boiko, Permanent Mission of Ukraine (e-mail y.boiko.ua@gmail.com; tel. 1 (212) 759-7003, ext. 109).]

Panel discussion on "Accelerating industrialization for boosting intra-African trade" (on the occasion of the Africa Industrialization Day 2012) (co-organized by the United Nations Industrial Development Organization (UNIDO) and the Office of the Special Adviser on Africa (OSAA))

Wednesday, 21 November 2012, from 11:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact the UNIDO New York Office (e-mail diazp@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5205).]

Briefing on "Enhancing African peacekeeping training and research capacities for complex peace and security emergencies in Africa" (by the Kofi Annan International Peacekeeping Training Centre (KAIPTC)) (organized by the Office of the Special Adviser on Africa (OSAA))

Thursday, 29 November 2012, from 10:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For registration and further information, please contact Ms. Ecoma Alaga, OSAA (e-mail alaga@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-2011); or Ms. Mieko Ikegame, OSAA (e-mail ikegame@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-1937).]

Donor meeting for current and prospective contributors — DPA's Multi-year Appeal 2013 update and its funding priorities (organized by the Department of Political Affairs (DPA))

Friday, 30 November 2012, from 15:00 to 18:00, in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

[Open only to permanent missions and permanent observer missions. For further information, please contact Ms. Lourdes Selaya, DPA (e-mail selaya@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3995). *Click here* for more information on the DPA Multi-Year Appeal.]

Announcements

Emergency information and updates

Emergency information and updates can be obtained on the United Nations Headquarters Emergency Information Web site at https://delegateinfo.un.int. The Web site also offers the option of subscription to e-mail alerts. In addition, a hotline number for updates during weather emergencies or other urgent situations can be accessed by calling 1 (212) 963-9800.

United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law

The United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law recently added the new following lecture to the Lecture Series of its Web site: by Professor Jan Klabbers "Treaty Conflict". All interested parties are invited to visit the Web site at www.un.org/law/avl/ to view the new lecture.

Training for delegates and staff of permanent missions

The Dag Hammarskjöld Library will conduct the following training for delegates and staff of permanent missions in room DC2-1142, on the dates indicated below. All interested are kindly requested to register by e-mail (librarytraining@un.org) or by telephone (1 (212) 963-5321).

Advanced research using subscription databases (from 10:00 to 12:00)

Tuesday, 27 November 2012 *(English)*.

Call for nominations of panellists for the fifty-first session of the Commission for Social Development

In preparation for the fifty-first session of the Commission for Social Development (6–15 February 2013), delegations are invited to propose names of expert panellists to participate in the high-level panel discussion on the priority theme (Promoting empowerment of people in achieving poverty eradication, social integration and full employment and decent work for all).

Delegations are invited to submit names and curricula vitae outlining the expertise and experience of the proposed candidate in relation to the above theme to Ms. Wenyan Yang (e-mail yang@un.org) or Ms. Makiko Tagashira (e-mail tagashira@un.org), *no later than Monday, 26 November 2012*.

Call for nominations of panellists for the fifty-seventh session of the Commission on the Status of Women

In preparation for the fifty-seventh session of the Commission on the Status of Women (4–15 March 2013), delegations are invited to propose names of expert panellists to participate in the two interactive panels on the priority theme (Elimination and prevention of all forms of violence against women and girls).

Delegations are invited to submit names and curricula vitae outlining the expertise and experience of the proposed candidate in relation to the above theme, with particular focus on primary prevention, and multi-sectoral responses and services. Information should be sent to UN-Women (e-mails patricia.codazzi@unwomen.org and kutisha.ebron@unwomen.org), *no later than Friday, 30 November 2012*.

United Nations Regional Course in International Law, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, 2013

The Regional Courses in International Law (RCIL) provide high-quality training by leading scholars and practitioners on a broad range of core subjects of international law, as well as specific subjects of particular interest to developing countries in a given region. The Regional Courses also provide an opportunity for the participants to focus on contemporary issues of international law in the region with a view to promoting greater understanding and cooperation on such issues.

Applications for the 2013 United Nations Regional Course in International Law, scheduled to be held at the African Union in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, from 1 to 26 April 2013, are now being accepted from candidates from Member States of the United Nations which are also members of the regional group of African States. The deadline for applications is *Friday, 30 November 2012*.

The Regional Course will be conducted in English. For further information, including applications forms, please consult the Regional Course Web site at www.un.org/law/rcil/africa/; or contact the Codification Division (e-mail rcil-africa@un.org).

The Codification Division of the Office of Legal Affairs is seeking contributions from Member States for the regional course. For additional information or inquiries, please e-mail rcil-africa@un.org.

Summary of official meetings

Thursday, 15 November 2012

General Assembly

Sixty-seventh session

Main Committees

Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee)

23rd meeting

United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East [item 52]

Report of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices Affecting the Human Rights of the Palestinian People and Other Arabs of the Occupied Territories [item 53]

The representative of Indonesia made a statement introducing draft resolutions submitted under agenda item 52, as contained in documents A/C.4/67/L.10, A/C.4/67/L.11, A/C.4/67/L.12 and A/C.4/67/L.13.

The representative of Cuba made a statement introducing draft resolutions submitted under agenda item 53, as contained in documents A/C.4/67/L.14, A/C.4/67/L.15, A/C.4/67/L.16, A/C.4/67/L.17 and A/C.4/67/L.18.

The Chair stated that there were no programme budget implications arising from the draft resolutions.

Action on draft resolutions submitted under agenda item 52 (A/C.4/67/L.10, A/C.4/67/L.11, A/C.4/67/L.12 and A/C.4/67/L.13)

The Secretary of the Committee announced that Albania, Brazil, Burkina Faso, Croatia, France, Latvia, Portugal, Romania, Senegal, Serbia, Slovenia, Sweden and the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland had joined in sponsoring draft resolution A/C.4/67/L.10.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.4/67/L.10, by a recorded vote of 165 to 1, with 6 abstentions.

The Secretary announced that Brunei Darussalam and Senegal had joined in sponsoring draft resolution A/C.4/67/L.11.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.4/67/L.11, by a recorded vote of 163 to 6, with 4 abstentions.

The Secretary announced that Brunei Darussalam and Senegal had joined in sponsoring draft resolution A/C.4/67/L.12.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.4/67/L.12, by a recorded vote of 166 to 6, with 1 abstention.

The Secretary of the Committee announced that Albania, Brazil, Brunei Darussalam, Croatia, France, Latvia, Portugal, Romania, Senegal, Serbia, Slovenia, Sweden and the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland had joined in sponsoring draft resolution A/C.4/67/L.13.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.4/67/L.13, by a recorded vote of 164 to 6, with 2 abstentions.

The representative of Lesotho stated that he had intended to vote in favor of draft resolution A/C.4/67/L.10.

Statements in explanation of vote after the vote were made by the representatives of the Syrian Arab Republic and Israel.

A statement was made by the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic.

Action on draft resolutions submitted under agenda item 53 (A/C.4/67/L.14, A/C.4/67/L.15, A/C.4/67/L.16, A/C.4/67/L.17 and A/C.4/67/L.18)

A statement was made by the representative of Peru.

The Secretary announced that Brunei Darussalam and Senegal had joined in sponsoring draft resolution A/C.4/67/L.14.

The meeting was suspended.

The meeting was resumed.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.4/67/L.14, by a recorded vote of 91 to 8, with 71 abstentions.

The Secretary announced that Brunei Darussalam and Senegal had joined in sponsoring draft resolution A/C.4/67/L.15.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.4/67/L.15, by a recorded vote of 163 to 6, with 4 abstentions.

The Secretary announced that Brunei Darussalam and Senegal had joined in sponsoring draft resolution A/C.4/67/L.16.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.4/67/L.16, by a recorded vote of 163 to 6, with 6 abstentions.

The Secretary announced that Brunei Darussalam and Senegal had joined in sponsoring draft resolution A/C.4/67/L.17.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.4/67/L.17, by a recorded vote of 160 to 8, with 6 abstentions.

The Secretary announced that Belarus, Brunei Darussalam and Senegal had joined in sponsoring draft resolution A/C.4/67/L.18.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.4/67/L.18, by a recorded vote of 161 to 2, with 13 abstentions.

Statements in explanation of vote after the vote were made by the representatives of Canada and the Islamic Republic of Iran.

The representative of Chile stated that they had intended to vote in favour of draft resolution A/C.4/67/L.15.

Statements were made by the representatives of the Syrian Arab Republic and the observer for Palestine.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of agenda items 52 and 53.

Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly [item 116]

The Chair made a statement.

The Committee adopted draft decision A/C.4/67/L.9, regarding the proposed programme of work and timetable of the Committee for the sixty-eighth session of the General Assembly, without a vote.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 116.

Programme planning [item 131]

The Chair stated that the need had not arisen for the Committee to take up this item during the main part of the session.

The meeting was suspended.

The meeting was resumed.

Comprehensive review of the whole question of peacekeeping operations in all their aspects [item 54]

The representative of Mexico made a statement introducing the revised draft resolution submitted under agenda item 54, as contained in document A/C.4/67/L.19/Rev.1, and presented further oral revisions.

The Chair announced that Belize had joined in sponsoring draft resolution A/C.4/67/L.19/Rev.1, as orally revised.

The Secretary read out an oral statement on programme budget implications relating to the draft resolution.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.4/67/L.19/Rev.1, as orally revised, without a vote.

Statements in explanation of position were made by the representatives of the United States, the United Kingdom, France and Sweden.

The Chair made a concluding statement.

Conclusion of work

The Chair made a concluding statement.

The Committee thus concluded its work for the main part of the sixty-seventh session of the General Assembly.

Friday, 16 November 2012

Security Council

6864th meeting

Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan

Report of the Secretary-General on the situation in Abyei (S/2012/722)

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of the Sudan and South Sudan, at their request, to participate in the consideration of the item without the right to vote, in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Charter and rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The President drew attention to the text of a draft resolution contained in document S/2012/844, submitted by the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the United States of America.

The Council proceeded to vote on the draft resolution (S/2012/844) before it.

Decision: The draft resolution (S/2012/844) received 15 votes in favour, none against and no abstentions and was adopted unanimously as resolution 2075 (2012).

The representative of Pakistan made a statement following the vote.

The Council also heard statements by the representatives of the Sudan and South Sudan.

General Assembly

Sixty-seventh session

Main Committees

Third Committee

39th meeting

Report of the Human Rights Council [item 64]

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.3/67/L.59

The representative of Cape Verde introduced the draft resolution, on behalf of the sponsors listed in the document.

Elimination of racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance [item 67 (a)]

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.3/67/L.57

The representative of Slovenia introduced the draft resolution, on behalf of sponsors listed in the document, as well as Andorra, Armenia, Belarus, Benin, Chile, Croatia, Georgia, Guatemala, Iceland, Italy, Liechtenstein, Malta, Monaco, Montenegro, the Netherlands, Nigeria, Norway, Palau, Senegal, Thailand and The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia.

Albania, Guinea, Haiti, Lebanon, Madagascar, Mali, Panama, the Republic of Moldova, San Marino and South Sudan joined in sponsoring the draft resolution.

International drug control [item 104]

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.3/67/L.14/Rev.1

The representative of Mexico introduced the draft resolution, on behalf of the sponsors listed in the document, as well as Afghanistan, Belize, El Salvador, Honduras, Mongolia and Ukraine.

Haiti, the Lao People's Democratic Republic, Mali, the Philippines, Tunisia and the United Republic of Tanzania joined in sponsoring the draft resolution.

Crime prevention and criminal justice [item 103]

Action on draft resolution A/C.3/67/L.16/Rev.1

The Secretary read out a statement of programme budget implications in connection with the draft resolution.

The representative of Belarus made a statement and announced that Azerbaijan, Armenia, Austria, Bahrain, Belgium, Bulgaria, Cyprus, Egypt, Ecuador, El Salvador, Greece, Hungary, Italy, the Lao People's Democratic Republic, Luxembourg, Nicaragua, Nigeria, Pakistan, Portugal, Spain, Sweden, Tajikistan, Thailand, Turkmenistan, Ukraine and Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) had joined in sponsoring the draft resolution.

Subsequently, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Côte d'Ivoire, Eritrea, Estonia, Iceland, Ireland, Liberia, Mexico, Montenegro, the Republic of Moldova, the Russian Federation, Serbia, Slovenia, Swaziland, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and Uganda joined in sponsoring the draft resolution.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution

After the adoption of the draft resolution, statement was made by the representative of the United States.

Statements were also made by the representatives of Guatemala and Jamaica in connection with the sponsorship of the draft resolution.

Fifth Committee

14th meeting

The President of the sixty-seventh session of the General Assembly addressed the Committee.

The Chair made a statement.

Programme budget for the biennium 2012-2013 [item 130]

The Committee resumed its consideration of this agenda item.

Umoja/Enterprise resource planning and International Public Sector Accounting Standards

The Under-Secretary-General for Management introduced the fourth progress report of the Secretary General on the enterprise resource planning project (A/67/360).

The Assistant Secretary-General, Controller introduced the fifth progress report of the Secretary-General on the adoption of the International Public Sector Accounting Standards by the United Nations (A/67/344); and the report of the Secretary-General on the proposed revisions to the Financial Regulations of the United Nations for the adoption of International Public Sector Accounting Standards (A/67/345).

The Director of External Audit (United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland), Audit Operations Committee, Board of Auditors, introduced the reports of the Board of Auditors (A/67/164 and A/67/168).

The Chair of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions introduced the related reports of that Committee (A/67/565 and A/67/564).

Statements were made by the representatives of Algeria (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China), Switzerland (also on behalf of Liechtenstein), the European Union (also on behalf of the acceding country Croatia; the candidate countries, Turkey, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and Montenegro; as well as the countries of the Stabilization and Association Process and potential candidates Albania and Bosnia and Herzegovina, which aligned themselves with the statement), Canada (on behalf of the CANZ group (Australia, Canada and New Zealand), Japan, Kuwait, Republic of Korea, the United States, the Russian Federation and Pakistan.

The Under-Secretary-General for Management responded to questions raised.

The Committee thus concluded its general discussion of these questions.

The Chair informed the Committee that informal consultations on these questions would begin that day, Friday, 16 November, following the adjournment of the formal meeting, in Conference Room 3 (NLB), and would be coordinated by Ms. Maria Holzmann (Austria).

Sixth Committee

25th meeting

Report of the Committee on Relations with the Host Country [item 165]

The Committee began its consideration of agenda item 165.

The Chair of the Committee on Relations with the Host Country introduced the report of the Committee (A/67/26) and draft resolution A/C.6/67/L.19.

Statements were made by the representatives of the European Union and the United States.

The Committee concluded its debate on agenda item 165.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.6/67/L.19, without a vote.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 165.

Criminal accountability of United Nations officials and experts on mission [item 76]

The Committee continued its consideration of agenda item 76.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.6/67/L.17, without a vote.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 76.

United Nations Programme of Assistance in the Teaching, Study, Dissemination and Wider Appreciation of International Law [item 78]

The Committee continued its consideration of agenda item 78.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.6/67/L.15, without a vote.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 78.

Report of the International Law Commission on the work of its sixty-third and sixty-fourth sessions [item 79]

The Committee continued its consideration of agenda item 79.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.6/67/L.13, without a vote.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 79.

Status of the Protocols Additional to the Geneva Conventions of 1949 and relating to the protection of victims of armed conflicts [item 80]

The Committee continued its consideration of agenda item 80.

The representative of Sweden announced that Nigeria and Ukraine had joined as sponsors of draft resolution A/C.6/67/L.14.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.6/67/L.14, without a vote.

The representatives of the Syrian Arab Republic and Egypt spoke in explanation of position after the adoption of the draft resolution.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 80.

Consideration of effective measures to enhance the protection, security and safety of diplomatic and consular missions and representatives [item 81]

The Committee continued its consideration of agenda item 81.

The representative of Finland announced that Greece, Malta, Slovakia and Uruguay had joined as sponsors of draft resolution A/C.6/67/L.10.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.6/67/L.10, without a vote.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 81.

Report of the Special Committee on the Charter of the United Nations and on the Strengthening of the Role of the Organization [item 82]

The Committee continued its consideration of agenda item 82.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.6/67/L.11, without a vote.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 82.

The rule of law at the national and international levels [item 83]

The Committee continued its consideration of agenda item 83.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.6/67/L.9, without a vote.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 83.

The scope and application of the principle of universal jurisdiction [item 84]

The Committee continued its consideration of agenda item 84.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.6/67/L.16, without a vote.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 84.

Measures to eliminate international terrorism [item 105]

The Committee continued its consideration of agenda item 105.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.6/67/L.12, without a vote.

The representative of the Syrian Arab Republic spoke in explanation of position following adoption of the resolution.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 105.

Observer status for the European Organization for Nuclear Research in the General Assembly [item 170]

The Committee continued its consideration of agenda item 170.

The representative of Switzerland announced that the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland had joined as a sponsor of draft resolution A/C.6/67/L.6.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.6/67/L.6, without a vote.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 170.

Observer status for the Cooperation Council of Turkic-speaking States in the General Assembly [item 166]

The Committee continued its consideration of agenda item 166.

Statements were made by the representatives of Kyrgyzstan, Turkey, Cyprus, Armenia, the Russian Federation and Azerbaijan.

The Committee concluded its debate on this item.

The Committee decided to recommend to the General Assembly to defer a decision on the request for observer status for the Cooperation Council of Turkic-speaking States in the General Assembly to the sixty-eighth session of the General Assembly.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 166.

Observer status for the International Conference of Asian Political Parties in the General Assembly [item 167]

The Committee continued its consideration of agenda item 167.

Statements were made by the representatives of the Philippines, the Republic of Korea, Pakistan, Japan, the Russian Federation and the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela.

The Committee concluded the debate on this item.

The Committee decided to recommend to the General Assembly to defer a decision on the request for observer status for the International Conference of Asian Political Parties in the General Assembly to the sixty-eighth session of the General Assembly.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 167.

Observer status for the International Chamber of Commerce in the General Assembly [item 169]

The Committee continued its consideration of agenda item 169.

A statement was made by the representative of France.

The Committee decided to recommend to the General Assembly to defer a decision on the request for observer status for the International Chamber of Commerce in the General Assembly to the sixty-eighth session of the General Assembly.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 169.

Programme planning [item 131]

The Committee commenced its consideration of agenda item 131.

The Chair made a statement.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 131.

Revitalization of work of the General Assembly [item 116]

The Committee began its consideration of agenda item 116.

The Chair introduced draft decision A/C.6/67/L.18, containing the provisional programme of work for the Sixth Committee during the sixty-eighth session of the General Assembly.

Statements were made by the representatives of Chile (on behalf of the Community of Latin American and Caribbean States) and Cuba.

The Committee adopted draft decision A/C.6/67/L.18, without a vote.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 116.

Election of the officers of the main committees [item 5]

The Chair made a statement.

Conclusion of work

The Chair made a concluding statement

The Committee thus concluded its work for the main part of the sixty-seventh session of the General Assembly.

Corrigenda

General Assembly

Sixty-seventh session

Corrigendum to the summary of the 39th plenary meeting of the General Assembly (see *Journal* No. 2012/219, p. 23): The summary *should read* as follows:

Report of the Security Council: report of the Security Council (A/67/2) [item 30]

Question of equitable representation on and increase in the membership of the Security Council and related matters [item 117]

Joint debate

The General Assembly continued its consideration of agenda items 30 and 117.

Statements were made by the representatives of Pakistan, Cuba, the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, India, Australia, Lesotho, the Congo, Ukraine, Spain, Argentina, China, El Salvador, Turkey, Mexico, Mongolia, Tunisia, Malta, Nicaragua, Indonesia, Kazakhstan, Bhutan, Montenegro, Maldives, Chile, the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela and the United Republic of Tanzania.

The General Assembly took note of the report of the Security Council (A/67/2).

Statements in the exercise of the right of reply were made by the representatives of Japan and the Democratic People's Republic of Korea.

The General Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda items 30 and 117.

Main Committees

Third Committee

Corrigenda to the summary of the 38th meeting of the Third Committee (see *Journal* No. 2012/219, p. 28):

(a) The first paragraph under "Introduction of draft resolution A/C.3/67/L.49" *should read* as follows:

The representative of Cyprus introduced the draft resolution, on behalf of sponsors listed in the document, as well as Albania, Australia, Canada, Israel, Norway and Switzerland; and

(b) The first paragraph under "Introduction of draft resolution *A/C.3/67/L.52*" *should read* as follows:

The representative of Qatar introduced the draft resolution on behalf of the sponsors listed in the document, as well as Albania, Andorra, Australia, Austria, Bahrain, Botswana, the Comoros, Côte d'Ivoire, Cyprus, Denmark, Finland, Georgia, Greece, Iceland, Ireland, Japan, Jordan, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Micronesia (Federated States of), Monaco, Montenegro, New Zealand, Norway, Palau, Panama, Poland, the Republic of Korea, the Republic of Moldova, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Switzerland, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Tunisia and the United Arab Emirates.

Signatures, Ratifications, etc.

The dates indicated correspond to the dates of receipt of the relevant documents, except for the signatures.

[Multilateral Treaties Deposited with the Secretary-General]

Agreement concerning the Adoption of Uniform Technical Prescriptions for Wheeled Vehicles, Equipment and Parts which can be fitted and/or be used on Wheeled Vehicles and the Conditions for Reciprocal Recognition of Approvals Granted on the Basis of these Prescriptions. Geneva, 20 March 1958

Notification of disagreement under article 1 (2) of the Agreement: Japan (13 November 2012)

International Convention for the Suppression of the Financing of Terrorism. New York, 9 December 1999

Accession: Iraq (16 November 2012)

Nagoya Protocol on Access to Genetic Resources and the Fair and Equitable Sharing of Benefits Arising from their Utilization to the Convention on Biological Diversity. Nagoya, 29 October 2010

Accession: Ethiopia (16 November 2012)

General information

Chairs of the regional groups

The following information regarding the chairmanship of the regional groups for the month of *November 2012* has been communicated to the Secretariat:

African States:
Cape Verde
His Excellency Antonio Pedro Monteiro Lima

Asia-Pacific States:
Philippines
His Excellency Libran Cabactulan

Eastern European States:
Estonia
His Excellency Margus Kolga

Latin American and Caribbean States:
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